PTO/SB/08B (08-03) Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number. Complete if Known stitute for form 1449/PTO **Application Number** INFORMATION DISCLOSURE **Filing Date** STATEMENT BY APPLICANT First Named Inventor Art Unit (Use as many sheets as necessary) Examiner Name Attorney Docket Number

Sheet

of

2

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue	T ²		
		MELGAR, E. and GOLDTHWAIT, D. A. "The effect of metals on the mechanism of action of deoxyvibohucleasel" (1968) J. Biol. Chem. 243: page 4414.			
		Page 4414. S. F.			
		SPITZER, and ECKSTEIN, 1' Inhibition of deoxynibonu deases by phosphoro thioate groups in Oligodeoxynibonucleotides' (1988) Wucleic Acids Res 16:			
		1/a(23 11696-91 and 11701-1110 L.			
		POTTER, B. V. L., ROMANIUK, P.J., and E.C.Y.STETN F. (1983) "The Stever-			
		ECKSTEIN F. (1983) "The Stever- chemical Course of DNA hydrolysis by SI hoclease" J Biol Chem			
		258° 1758-1760, pg 1759.			

Examiner	Date	
Signature	Considered	

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO). to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.